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Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

- 1. Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
- 2. Amendment and Marked Up Version pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.21

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2001.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated March 1, 2001 be extended for a period of 3 months from June 1, 2001 to September 1, 2001. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$890.

Please charge the required extension fee, estimated to be \$890, as well as any other fees due and owing, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 4, 2001

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows (a marked up version pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.21 is attached hereto):

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the cross-reference to related applications section on page 1, and replace with the following:

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Pat. Application Serial No. 09/186,665, now abandoned, and claims priority under 35 USC 119 of Danish applications no. PA 1998 01375, filed October 26, 1998, and PA 1999 00718, filed May 25, 1999, the contents of which are fully incorporated herein by reference.—

Please replace the paragraph on page 1, line 27 to page 2, line 3 with:

--Often, however, a polynucleotide sequence identified by screening in yeast or bacteria cannot be expressed or is expressed at low levels when transformed into production relevant filamentous fungal cells. This may be due to any number of reasons, including differences in codon usage, regulation of mRNA levels, translocation apparatus, post-translational modification

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